# FISHERIES OF THE UNITED STATES AND ALASKA

Fish and Wildlife Service
Branch of Commercial Fisheries

1950

Department of the Interior
Washington 25, D.C.

C. F. S. No. 841

Annual Summary

## *GENERAL REVIEW*

During 1950, surveys covering the catch of fish and shellfish in the United States and Alaska were made in all areas. This is the first complete survey of the fisheries of the United States since 1931.

The 1950 catch of fishery products in all sections of the United States and Alaska totaled 4,884,909,000 pounds valued at $343,876,000 to the fishermen. This represents an increase of 2 percent in quantity and 1 percent in value compared with the estimated figures for 1949.

The following table, which contains recorded production for the areas in which surveys were made, and estimates for other regions, indicates the trend of the yield and value of the domestic catch during recent years.

| Year | Pounds | Value to the fishermen | Average price per pound |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1939 | 4,443,328,000 | $96,532,000 | 2.17¢ |
| 1940 | 4,059,524,000 | 98,957,000 | 2.44 |
| 1941 | 4,900,000,000 | 129,000,000 | 2.63 |
| 1942 | 3,876,524,000 | 170,338,000 | 4.39 |
| 1943 | 4,202,000,000 | 204,000,000 | 4.85 |
| 1944 | 4,500,000,000 | 213,000,000 | 4.73 |
| 1945 | 4,575,500,000 | 269,900,000 | 5.90 |
| 1946 | 4,456,000,000 | 310,000,000 | 6.96 |
| 1947 | 4,344,000,000 | 307,600,000 | 7.08 |
| 1948 | 4,575,000,000 | 367,000,000 | 8.02 |
| 1949 | 4,796,000,000 | 339,000,000 | 7.06 |
| 1950 | 4,884,909,000 | 343,876,000 | 7.04 |

# UNITED STATES AND ALASKA SUMMARIES



## SUMMARY OF CATCH, 1950

(EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

| PRODUCT | NEW ENGLAND, AREA XX11 | | MIDDLE ATLANTIC, AREA XX111 | | CHESAPEAKE, AREA XX111 | | SOUTH ATLANTIC, AREA XX1V | | GULF, AREA XXV | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| FISH. . . . . | 941,706 | 39,281 | 435,871 | 9,771 | 268,386 | 9,434 | 199,201 | 6,704 | 386,501 | 11,833 |
| SHELLFISH, ETC. | 64,884 | 21,295 | 55,814 | 19,072 | 112,506 | 15,573 | 61,680 | 12,240 | 184,140 | 38,525 |
| TOTAL. . . . | 1,006,590 | 60,576 | 491,685 | 28,843 | 380,892 | 25,007 | 260,881 | 18,944 | 570,641 | 50,358 |

| PRODUCT | PACIFIC | | LAKES | | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | | ALASKA | | TOTAL | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| FISH. . . . . | 1,473,792 | 101,577 | 70,879 | 10,846 | 78,731 | 9,558 | 472,221 | 30,562 | 4,327,288 | 229,566 |
| SHELLFISH, ETC. | 41,457 | 6,249 | 3 | (1) | 27,065 | 546 | 10,072 | 810 | 557,621 | 114,310 |
| TOTAL. . . . | 1,515,249 | 107,826 | 70,882 | 10,846 | 105,796 | 10,104 | 482,293 | 31,372 | 4,884,909 | 343,876 |

NOTE:--ROMAN NUMERALS APPEARING UNDER THE NAMES OF THE SECTIONS ARE THE NUMBERS GIVEN THE AREAS BY THE NORTH AMERICAN COUNCIL ON FISHERY INVESTIGATIONS. IT SHOULD BE EXPLAINED THAT THERE ARE INCLUDED IN THE OPERATING UNIT TABLES FOR THE AREAS, CRAFT WHOSE PRINCIPAL PORTS ARE IN THE RESPECTIVE AREAS BUT WHICH MAY AT TIMES FISH ELSEWHERE.

1/ LESS THAN 500 DOLLARS.

## SUMMARY OF OPERATING UNITS, 1950

| ITEM | NEW ENGLAND | MIDDLE ATLANTIC | CHESAPEAKE | SOUTH ATLANTIC | GULF |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER |
| FISHERMEN: | | | | | |
| ON VESSELS. . . . . | 5,927 | 4,062 | 2,221 | 3,389 | 9,536 |
| ON BOATS AND SHORE. | 17,507 | 11,414 | 16,084 | 10,130 | 14,231 |
| TOTAL. . . . . | 23,434 | 15,476 | 18,305 | 13,519 | 23,767 |
| VESSELS: | | | | | |
| STEAM . . . . . | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| NET TONNAGE . . . | 191 | - | - | - | - |
| MOTOR . . . . . | 865 | 577 | 387 | 1,074 | 2,704 |
| NET TONNAGE . . . | 28,827 | 12,873 | 5,872 | 13,528 | 42,881 |
| SAIL. . . . . | - | - | 113 | - | - |
| NET TONNAGE . . . | - | - | 1,282 | - | - |
| TOTAL VESSELS. . . | 868 | 577 | 500 | 1,074 | 2,704 |
| TOTAL NET TONNAGE. | 29,018 | 12,873 | 7,154 | 13,528 | 42,881 |
| BOATS: | | | | | |
| MOTOR . . . . . | 8,459 | 4,755 | 8,122 | 2,823 | 5,370 |
| OTHER . . . . . | 4,766 | 1,082 | 3,657 | 3,069 | 5,201 |
| ACCESSORY BOATS . . . | 214 | 154 | 73 | 301 | 264 |
| APPARATUS: | | | | | |
| PURSE SEINES AND LAMPARA NETS . . . | 114 | 49 | 21 | 61 | 66 |
| HAUL SEINES . . . . | 86 | 187 | 614 | 503 | 312 |
| STOP SEINES . . . . | 180 | - | - | - | - |
| GILL NETS . . . . . | 1,271 | 1,653 | 2,133 | 3,965 | 2,201 |
| TRAMMEL NETS. . . . | - | - | - | 15 | 758 |
| HOOKS, BAITS OR SNOODS . . . . . | 1,562,180 | 302,010 | 1,061,045 | 675,174 | 969,016 |
| POUND NETS. . . . . | 85 | 214 | 1,915 | 1,653 | - |
| FLOATING TRAPS. . . | 71 | - | - | - | - |
| WEIRS . . . . . | 211 | 40 | - | - | - |
| STOP NETS . . . . . | 4 | 5 | 5 | - | - |
| FYKE NETS . . . . . | 54 | 983 | 2,637 | 287 | 1,258 |
| BAG NETS . . . . . | 42 | - | - | - | - |
| OTHER NETS 3/ . . . | 528 | 44 | 1,214 | 478 | 5,331 |
| OTTER TRAWLS. . . . | 832 | 256 | 67 | 2,051 | 5,402 |
| BEAM TRAWLS . . . . | - | 21 | - | - | - |
| EEL POTS. . . . . | 1,628 | 1,952 | 23,450 | 480 | - |
| LOBSTER POTS. . . . | 570,635 | 8,295 | - | 5,795 | 5,715 |
| CRAB, CRAWFISH AND FISH POTS AND TRAPS | 1,382 | 22,025 | 87,584 | 17,190 | 4,960 |
| BRUSH TRAPS . . . . | - | - | - | - | 88,950 |
| HARPOONS AND SPEARS | 198 | 7 | - | 258 | 132 |
| DREDGES: | | | | | |
| CLAM. . . . . | 69 | 176 | 34 | 61 | - |
| CRAB. . . . . | - | 70 | 268 | | - |

SEE FOOTNOTES AT END OF TABLE.

(CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE)

## SUMMARY OF OPERATING UNITS, 1950 - Continued

| ITEM | NEW ENGLAND | MIDDLE ATLANTIC | CHESAPEAKE | SOUTH ATLANTIC | GULF |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| APPARATUS, CONTINUED: | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER |
| DREDGES, CONTINUED: | | | | | |
| OYSTER | 89 | 468 | 847 | 347 | 499 |
| SCALLOP | 4,451 | 118 | - | - | 114 |
| OTHER | - | - | 4 | - | - |
| SCRAPES | - | - | 596 | - | - |
| FORKS, GRABS, HOES, RAKES SHOVELS, AND TONGS | 6,430 | 8,345 | 7,715 | 1,200 | 1,933 |
| DIVING OUTFITS | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| OTHER APPARATUS 4/ | 406 | 1,250 | 427 | 145 | 53 |

| ITEM | PACIFIC | LAKES | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | ALASKA | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER | NUMBER |
| FISHERMEN: | | | | | |
| ON VESSELS | 15,643 | 1,988 | - | 1/11,233 | 53,999 |
| ON BOATS AND SHORE | 16,048 | 2,853 | 19,197 | (1) | 107,464 |
| TOTAL | 31,691 | 4,841 | 19,197 | 11,233 | 161,463 |
| VESSELS: | | | | | |
| STEAM | - | - | - | - | 3 |
| NET TONNAGE | - | - | - | - | 191 |
| MOTOR | 3,325 | 661 | - | 1,787 | 11,380 |
| NET TONNAGE | 84,182 | 7,864 | - | 22,905 | 218,932 |
| SAIL | - | - | - | - | 113 |
| NET TONNAGE | - | - | - | - | 1,282 |
| TOTAL VESSELS | 3,325 | 661 | - | 1,787 | 11,496 |
| TOTAL NET TONNAGE | 84,182 | 7,864 | - | 22,905 | 220,405 |
| BOATS: | | | | | |
| MOTOR | 6,705 | 1,437 | 5,634 | 2,762 | 46,067 |
| OTHER | 665 | 373 | 12,086 | 1,269 | 32,168 |
| ACCESSORY BOATS | 1,072 | 191 | 310 | - | 2,579 |
| APPARATUS: | | | | | |
| PURSE SEINES AND LAMPARA NETS | 1,031 | - | - | 876 | 2,218 |
| HAUL SEINES | 141 | 337 | 1,817 | 146 | 4,143 |
| STOP SEINES | - | - | - | - | 180 |
| GILL NETS | 4,746 | 117,507 | 3,714 | 5,385 | 142,575 |
| TRAMMEL NETS | 55 | - | 1,200 | - | 2,028 |
| HOOKS, BAITS OR SNOODS | 1,121,015 | 579,515 | 4,569,117 | (2) | 10,839,072 |
| POUND NETS | 22 | 1,103 | 48 | 392 | 5,432 |
| TRAP NETS | - | 7,339 | - | - | 7,339 |
| FLOATING TRAPS | - | - | - | - | 71 |
| WEIRS | 1 | - | - | - | 252 |
| STOP NETS | - | - | - | - | 14 |
| FYKE NETS | 1,268 | 1,012 | 82,300 | - | 89,799 |
| BAG NETS | 2 | - | - | - | 44 |
| OTHER NETS 3/ | 1,836 | 792 | 345 | 3 | 10,571 |
| OTTER TRAWLS | 325 | - | - | 5 | 8,938 |
| BEAM TRAWLS | 23 | - | - | 12 | 56 |
| EEL POTS | - | - | - | - | 27,510 |
| LOBSTER POTS | 7,610 | - | - | - | 598,050 |
| CRAB, CRAWFISH AND FISH POTS AND TRAPS | 77,203 | - | 17,155 | 5,272 | 232,771 |
| BRUSH TRAPS | - | - | - | - | 88,950 |
| HARPOONS AND SPEARS | 38 | - | 70 | - | 703 |
| DREDGES: | | | | | |
| CLAM | - | - | - | - | 340 |
| CRAB | - | - | - | - | 338 |
| OYSTER | 59 | - | - | - | 2,309 |
| SCALLOP | - | - | - | - | 4,683 |
| OTHER | - | - | - | - | 4 |
| SCRAPES | - | - | - | - | 596 |
| CROWFOOT BARS | - | - | 2,070 | - | 2,070 |
| FORKS, GRABS, HOES, RAKES, SHOVELS, AND TONGS | 4,420 | - | 1,145 | 396 | 31,584 |
| DIVING OUTFITS | 83 | - | 26 | - | 115 |
| OTHER APPARATUS 4/ | 605 | - | - | - | 2,886 |

1/ IN ALASKA, THE PERSONS IN THE BOAT AND SHORE FISHERIES ARE INCLUDED WITH THOSE IN THE VESSEL FISHERIES.
2/ NUMBER NOT DETERMINED.
3/ INCLUDES BRAIL OR SCOOP, CAST, CHANNEL, DIP, DROP, LIFT, REEF, AND TANGLE NETS.
4/ INCLUDES PERIWINKLE AND COCKLE, CONCH, AND TURTLE POTS; BOX, OCTOPUS, AND SHRIMP TRAPS; AND SPONGE HOOKS.

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY REGION, 1950

(EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

| SPECIES | NEW ENGLAND | | MIDDLE ATLANTIC | | CHESAPEAKE | | SOUTH ATLANTIC | | GULF | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FISH | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE |
| ALEWIVES | 5,696 | 55 | 179 | 6 | 34,629 | 556 | 6,780 | 139 | 42 | 1 |
| AMBERJACK | - | - | 5 | (1) | - | - | 29 | 1 | 16 | 1 |
| ANCHOVIES | 15 | (1) | 159 | 33 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| ANGELFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | (1) | (1) | 2 | (1) |
| ANGLERFISH | 18 | 1 | 56 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| BARRACUDA | - | - | - | - | - | - | 41 | 2 | 55 | 3 |
| BLUEFISH | 138 | 21 | 1,444 | 231 | 417 | 54 | 2,272 | 341 | 416 | 54 |
| BLUE RUNNER OR HARDTAIL | - | - | - | - | - | - | 162 | 5 | 633 | 21 |
| BOWFIN | - | - | - | - | - | - | 26 | 1 | - | - |
| BUFFALOFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | (1) | (1) | 858 | 88 |
| BUTTERFISH | 3,072 | 265 | 1,723 | 176 | 1,457 | 132 | 46 | 3 | 25 | 1 |
| CABIO OR CRAB EATER | - | - | - | - | 7 | 1 | 14 | 1 | 34 | 2 |
| CARP | 55 | 5 | 119 | 9 | 1,211 | 75 | 800 | 47 | 21 | 2 |
| CATFISH AND BULLHEADS | 1 | (1) | 102 | 8 | 2,017 | 165 | 1,396 | 160 | 3,725 | 818 |
| CIGARFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 189 | 9 |
| COD | 53,968 | 3,250 | 3,517 | 373 | 5 | (1) | 1 | (1) | - | - |
| CRAPPIE | - | - | - | - | 2 | (1) | - | - | - | - |
| CREVALLE | (1) | (1) | - | - | - | - | 184 | 4 | 428 | 8 |
| CROAKER | - | - | 44 | 4 | 9,192 | 1,561 | 2,186 | 107 | 92 | 6 |
| CUNNER | 5 | (1) | 2 | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| CUSK | 3,818 | 145 | (1) | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| DOLPHIN | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 | 1 | - | - |
| DRUM: | | | | | | | | | | |
| BLACK | - | - | 16 | 1 | 66 | 3 | 187 | 10 | 978 | 104 |
| RED OR REDFISH | - | - | - | - | 184 | 12 | 444 | 53 | 2,032 | 358 |
| EELS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMMON | 104 | 19 | 381 | 64 | 1,433 | 185 | 185 | 23 | 1 | (1) |
| CONGER | 36 | 1 | 43 | 1 | 12 | (1) | - | - | - | - |
| FLOUNDERS | 66,824 | 7,021 | 10,006 | 1,432 | 2,305 | 340 | 2,238 | 323 | 522 | 110 |
| FRIGATE MACKEREL | (1) | (1) | 61 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| GARFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 320 | 16 |
| GIZZARD SHAD | - | - | - | - | 282 | 6 | - | - | - | - |
| GOATFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | 45 | 3 | 5 | (1) |
| GRAYFISH | 111 | 1 | 37 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| GROUPERS | - | - | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | 906 | 91 | 5,622 | 515 |
| GRUNTS | - | - | 6 | (1) | - | - | 25 | 2 | 59 | 4 |
| HADDOCK | 157,765 | 11,772 | 794 | 62 | (1) | (1) | - | - | - | - |
| HAKE: | | | | | | | | | | |
| RED | 2,956 | 57 | 470 | 15 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| WHITE | 13,915 | 506 | 130 | 7 | 21 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| HALIBUT | 535 | 112 | 3 | 1 | (1) | (1) | - | - | - | - |
| HARVESTFISH OR STARFISH | - | - | - | - | 325 | 25 | 468 | 28 | - | - |
| HERRING: | | | | | | | | | | |
| SEA | 195,154 | 1,351 | 1,237 | 19 | 143 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| THREAD | - | - | - | - | - | - | 32 | (1) | - | - |
| HERRING SMELT | 5 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| HICKORY SHAD | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | 264 | 14 | 337 | 18 | - | - |
| HOGCHOKER | - | - | - | - | 9 | (1) | - | - | - | - |
| HOGFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | 18 | 2 | 4 | (1) |
| JEWFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | 23 | 1 | 103 | 6 |
| KING MACKEREL | - | - | 39 | 6 | - | - | 1,160 | 163 | 418 | 56 |
| KING WHITING OR "KINGFISH" | 1 | (1) | 19 | 3 | 130 | 11 | 2,545 | 218 | 611 | 39 |
| LAUNCE | 122 | 4 | 7 | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| MACKEREL | 14,445 | 1,104 | 1,977 | 227 | 5,671 | 727 | 1 | (1) | - | - |
| MENHADEN | 9,303 | 90 | 372,947 | 3,741 | 170,913 | 1,492 | 147,125 | 1,445 | 326,030 | 3,634 |
| MINNOWS | 35 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| MOJARRA | - | - | - | - | - | - | 154 | 8 | 380 | 19 |
| MULLET | - | - | 25 | 1 | 117 | 9 | 10,751 | 1,146 | 23,892 | 2,458 |
| MUTTONFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 22 | 3 |
| OCEAN PERCH (ROSEFISH) | 207,793 | 9,137 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| PADDLEFISH OR SPOONBILL CAT | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 46 | 6 |
| PERMIT | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7 | 1 | 4 | (1) |
| PIGFISH | - | - | - | - | 18 | 1 | 301 | 11 | 3 | (1) |
| PIKE OR PICKEREL | - | - | 1 | (1) | 11 | 2 | 5 | 1 | - | - |
| PINFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | 458 | 4 | 2 | (1) |
| POLLOCK | 25,607 | 828 | 41 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| POMPANO | - | - | - | - | - | - | 435 | 233 | 411 | 226 |
| PORKFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | (1) | - | - |
| SALMON, ATLANTIC | 1 | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL SALMON | 1 | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

SEE FOOTNOTES AT END OF TABLE. (CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE)

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY REGION, 1950 - Continued

(EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

| SPECIES | NEW ENGLAND | | MIDDLE ATLANTIC | | CHESAPEAKE | | SOUTH ATLANTIC | | GULF | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FISH-CONT'D: | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE |
| SAND PERCH | - | - | - | - | 26 | 1 | 1 | (1) | - | - |
| SAWFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 21 | 1 |
| SCUP OR PORGY | 6,649 | 365 | 20,556 | 1,346 | 8,222 | 716 | 60 | 4 | 41 | 4 |
| SEA BASS, BLACK (ATLANTIC) | 476 | 37 | 6,463 | 792 | 5,706 | 625 | 329 | 42 | - | - |
| SEA CATFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | 13 | 1 | 776 | 35 |
| SEA ROBIN | 108 | 2 | 91 | 1 | 31 | 1 | (1) | (1) | - | - |
| SEA TROUT OR WEAKFISH: | | | | | | | | | | |
| GRAY | 5 | 1 | 1,798 | 199 | 4,604 | 428 | 1,579 | 156 | - | - |
| SPOTTED | - | - | - | - | 94 | 17 | 1,999 | 450 | 4,412 | 990 |
| WHITE | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 470 | 41 |
| SHAD | 296 | 49 | 1,802 | 356 | 4,474 | 725 | 1,651 | 467 | - | - |
| SHARKS | 243 | 7 | 44 | 2 | 505 | 11 | 8 | 1 | 49 | 2 |
| SHEEPSHEAD: | | | | | | | | | | |
| FRESH-WATER | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 974 | 78 |
| SALT-WATER | - | - | - | - | (1) | (1) | 69 | 5 | 365 | 38 |
| SILVERSIDES | (1) | (1) | 299 | 18 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| SKATES | 113 | 3 | 47 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| SMELT | 151 | 42 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| SNAPPER: | | | | | | | | | | |
| MANGROVE | - | - | - | - | - | - | 101 | 12 | 271 | 35 |
| MUTTON | - | - | - | - | - | - | 55 | 8 | (1) | (1) |
| RED | - | - | - | - | (1) | (1) | 363 | 80 | 6,789 | 1,644 |
| YELLOWTAIL | - | - | - | - | - | - | 96 | 19 | 250 | 49 |
| SNOOK OR SERGEANT-FISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | 90 | 11 | 484 | 58 |
| SPANISH MACKEREL | - | - | - | - | 14 | 2 | 3,724 | 346 | 2,593 | 242 |
| SPOT | - | - | 13 | 1 | 4,596 | 387 | 5,556 | 258 | 307 | 14 |
| STRIPED BASS | 167 | 30 | 897 | 224 | 5,834 | 948 | 797 | 165 | - | - |
| STURGEON, COMMON | 11 | 2 | 17 | 3 | 18 | 4 | 43 | 12 | 4 | (1) |
| SUCKERS | 42 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 24 | 2 | 1 | (1) | - | - |
| SUNFISH | (1) | (1) | 2 | (1) | 3 | (1) | 14 | 1 | - | - |
| SWELLFISH | 15 | 1 | 822 | 55 | 744 | 15 | 51 | 5 | - | - |
| SWORDFISH | 887 | 325 | 24 | 12 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| TAUTOG | 96 | 4 | 47 | 2 | 49 | 4 | - | - | - | - |
| TENPOUNDER | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | (1) | 492 | 15 |
| TILEFISH | 1,200 | 64 | 1,158 | 91 | 43 | 3 | - | - | - | - |
| TRIGGERFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | (1) | 15 | 2 |
| TRIPLETAIL | - | - | - | - | - | - | 20 | 1 | 17 | 2 |
| TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES: | | | | | | | | | | |
| BLUEFIN | 1,135 | 96 | 132 | 16 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| BONITO | 5 | (1) | 3 | 1 | 44 | 5 | 72 | 3 | - | - |
| LITTLE | - | - | 149 | 6 | 14 | 1 | 133 | 4 | - | - |
| TOTAL TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES | 1,140 | 96 | 284 | 23 | 58 | 6 | 205 | 7 | - | - |
| WARSAW | - | - | - | - | - | - | 15 | 1 | 170 | 15 |
| WHITEBAIT | - | - | 31 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| WHITE PERCH | 28 | 4 | 194 | 25 | 1,868 | 139 | 510 | 51 | - | - |
| WHITING | 65,464 | 1,338 | 1,837 | 106 | 12 | 1 | 19 | 2 | - | - |
| WOLFFISH | 2,410 | 137 | 11 | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| YELLOW PERCH | 8 | (1) | 41 | 4 | 165 | 23 | 35 | 3 | - | - |
| YELLOW PIKE | - | - | - | - | (1) | (1) | - | - | - | - |
| UNCLASSIFIED | 100,699 | 1,023 | 3,778 | 74 | 455 | 2 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL | 941,706 | 39,281 | 435,871 | 9,771 | 268,386 | 9,434 | 199,201 | 6,704 | 386,501 | 11,833 |
| SHELLFISH, ETC. | | | | | | | | | | |
| CRABS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| BLUE: | | | | | | | | | | |
| HARD | 1 | (1) | 6,552 | 426 | 73,918 | 2,652 | 20,059 | 822 | 18,816 | 884 |
| SOFT AND PEELERS | (1) | (1) | 23 | 7 | 6,128 | 900 | 212 | 25 | 364 | 165 |
| ROCK | 3,714 | 121 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| STONE | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | 2 | 38 | 25 |
| TOTAL CRABS | 3,715 | 121 | 6,575 | 433 | 80,046 | 3,552 | 20,275 | 849 | 19,218 | 1,074 |
| CRAWFISH, FRESH-WATER | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 32 | 3 |
| HORSESHOE CRAB | - | - | 1,350 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| LOBSTERS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| NORTHERN | 22,559 | 8,108 | 635 | 237 | 4 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| SPINY | - | - | - | - | - | - | 932 | 168 | 628 | 113 |
| SHRIMP | 8 | 2 | 100 | 51 | - | - | 36,481 | 10,032 | 151,753 | 33,111 |

SEE FOOTNOTES AT END OF TABLE. (CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE)

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY REGION, 1950 - Continued

(EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

| SPECIES | NEW ENGLAND | | MIDDLE ATLANTIC | | CHESAPEAKE | | SOUTH ATLANTIC | | GULF | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| SHELLFISH, ETC.- CONTINUED | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE |
| CLAMS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| HARD | 4,751 | 1,393 | 13,614 | 4,905 | 1,571 | 786 | 844 | 160 | 4 | 1 |
| OCEAN QUAHOG | 221 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| RAZOR | 78 | 18 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| SOFT | 8,907 | 1,987 | 483 | 172 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| SURF | 28 | 7 | 7,584 | 747 | 130 | 10 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL CLAMS | 13,985 | 3,424 | 21,681 | 5,824 | 1,701 | 796 | 844 | 160 | 4 | 1 |
| CONCHS | 109 | 17 | 127 | 25 | 171 | 11 | - | - | 9 | 1 |
| MUSSELS, SEA | 693 | 58 | 68 | 13 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| OYSTERS, MARKET: | | | | | | | | | | |
| EASTERN, PUBLIC | 146 | 69 | 130 | 68 | 15,981 | 5,960 | 1,247 | 528 | 6,779 | 1,962 |
| EASTERN, PRIVATE | 4,581 | 1,612 | 18,040 | 9,541 | 13,973 | 5,135 | 1,786 | 454 | 5,513 | 2,047 |
| TOTAL OYSTERS | 4,727 | 1,681 | 18,170 | 9,609 | 29,954 | 11,095 | 3,033 | 982 | 12,292 | 4,009 |
| PERIWINKLES AND COCKLES | 3 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| SCALLOPS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| BAY | 1,376 | 1,130 | 27 | 31 | - | - | 72 | 39 | 125 | 63 |
| SEA | 13,753 | 6,384 | 6,135 | 2,781 | 92 | 39 | - | - | - | - |
| SQUID | 1,403 | 57 | 927 | 57 | 104 | 8 | 1 | (1) | 5 | (1) |
| SEA URCHINS | 34 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| TERRAPIN, DIAMOND-BACK | - | - | - | - | 276 | 55 | 13 | 6 | - | - |
| TURTLES: | | | | | | | | | | |
| GREEN | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | (1) | 4 | 1 |
| LOGGERHEAD | - | - | - | - | 7 | (1) | - | - | 1 | (1) |
| SNAPPER | - | - | 19 | 6 | 151 | 16 | 21 | 3 | 4 | (1) |
| TOTAL TURTLES | - | - | 19 | 6 | 158 | 16 | 24 | 3 | 9 | 1 |
| FROGS | - | - | - | - | - | - | 5 | 1 | 43 | 18 |
| IRISH MOSS | 2,150 | 30 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| SPONGES | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 22 | 131 |
| BLOODWORMS | 311 | 242 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| SANDWORMS | 58 | 39 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL | 64,884 | 21,295 | 55,814 | 19,072 | 112,506 | 15,573 | 61,680 | 12,240 | 184,140 | 38,525 |
| GRAND TOTAL | 1,006,590 | 60,576 | 491,685 | 28,843 | 380,892 | 25,007 | 260,881 | 18,944 | 570,641 | 50,358 |

| SPECIES | PACIFIC | | LAKES | | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | | ALASKA | | TOTAL | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FISH | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE |
| ALEWIVES | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 47,326 | 757 |
| AMBERJACK | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 50 | 2 |
| ANCHOVIES | 4,879 | 85 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 5,053 | 118 |
| ANGELFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | (1) |
| ANGLERFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 74 | 4 |
| BARRACUDA | 2,258 | 329 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2,354 | 334 |
| BLUEFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4,687 | 701 |
| BLUE PIKE | - | - | 6,236 | 1,237 | - | - | - | - | 6,236 | 1,237 |
| BLUE RUNNER OR HARDTAIL | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 795 | 26 |
| BOWFIN | - | - | 15 | (1) | 442 | 46 | - | - | 483 | 47 |
| BUFFALOFISH | - | - | 4 | (1) | 25,011 | 3,470 | - | - | 25,873 | 3,558 |
| BURBOT | - | - | 588 | 32 | 23 | 1 | - | - | 611 | 33 |
| BUTTERFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6,323 | 577 |
| CABEZONE | 22 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 22 | 1 |
| CABIO OR CRAB EATER | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 55 | 4 |
| CABRILLA | 284 | 35 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 284 | 35 |
| CARP | 1,066 | 25 | 4,209 | 193 | 26,913 | 1,594 | - | - | 34,394 | 1,950 |
| CARPSUCKER | - | - | - | - | 28 | 1 | - | - | 28 | 1 |
| CATFISH AND BULLHEADS | 300 | 57 | 1,420 | 286 | 14,222 | 3,194 | - | - | 23,183 | 4,688 |
| CHUB | - | - | 9,413 | 1,428 | - | - | - | - | 9,413 | 1,428 |
| CIGARFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 189 | 9 |
| CISCO | - | - | 191 | 72 | - | - | - | - | 191 | 72 |
| COD | 7,087 | 272 | - | - | - | - | 858 | 23 | 65,436 | 3,918 |
| CRAPPIE | - | - | - | - | 187 | 38 | - | - | 189 | 38 |
| CREVALLE | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 612 | 12 |
| CROAKER | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 11,514 | 1,678 |
| CUNNER | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7 | (1) |

SEE FOOTNOTES AT END OF TABLE. (CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE)

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY REGION, 1950 - Continued

(EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

| SPECIES | PACIFIC | | LAKES | | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | | ALASKA | | TOTAL | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FISH-CONTINUED | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE |
| CUSK | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3,818 | 145 |
| DOLLY VARDEN TROUT | - | - | - | - | - | - | 21 | 2 | 21 | 2 |
| DOLPHIN | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 | 1 |
| DRUM: | | | | | | | | | | |
| BLACK | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,247 | 118 |
| RED OR REDFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2,660 | 423 |
| EELS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMMON | - | - | 1 | (1) | 4 | (1) | - | - | 2,109 | 291 |
| CONGER | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 91 | 2 |
| FLOUNDERS | 49,799 | 2,617 | - | - | - | - | (1) | (1) | 131,694 | 11,843 |
| FLYING FISH | 61 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 61 | 5 |
| FRIGATE MACKEREL | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 61 | 2 |
| GARFISH | - | - | (1) | (1) | 2,255 | 102 | - | - | 2,575 | 118 |
| GIZZARD SHAD | - | - | 21 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 303 | 7 |
| GOATFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 50 | 3 |
| GOLDFISH | - | - | 107 | 5 | - | - | - | - | 107 | 5 |
| GRAYFISH | 2/2,632 | 2/48 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2,780 | 51 |
| GROUPERS | 297 | 56 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6,825 | 662 |
| GRUNTS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 90 | 6 |
| HADDOCK | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 158,559 | 11,834 |
| HAKE: | | | | | | | | | | |
| PACIFIC | 9 | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 9 | (1) |
| RED | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3,426 | 72 |
| WHITE | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 14,066 | 514 |
| HALIBUT | 12,455 | 2,568 | - | - | - | - | 38,637 | 5,776 | 51,630 | 8,457 |
| HARVESTFISH OR STARFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 793 | 53 |
| HERRING: | | | | | | | | | | |
| LAKE | - | - | 17,454 | 807 | - | - | - | - | 17,454 | 807 |
| SEA | 1,864 | 38 | - | - | - | - | 165,367 | 2,067 | 363,765 | 3,477 |
| THREAD | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 32 | (1) |
| HERRING SMELT | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 5 | 1 |
| HICKORY SHAD | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 601 | 32 |
| HOGCHOKER | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 9 | (1) |
| HOGFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 22 | 2 |
| JACK MACKEREL | 133,256 | 2,572 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 133,256 | 2,572 |
| JEWFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 126 | 7 |
| KINGFISH (CALIFORNIA) | 747 | 36 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 747 | 36 |
| KING MACKEREL | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,637 | 225 |
| KING WHITING OR "KINGFISH" | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3,306 | 271 |
| LAKE TROUT | - | - | 3,255 | 1,244 | - | - | - | - | 3,255 | 1,244 |
| LAUNCE | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 129 | 4 |
| LINGCOD | 7,191 | 520 | - | - | - | - | 20 | (1) | 7,211 | 520 |
| MACKEREL | 32,650 | 795 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 54,744 | 2,853 |
| MENHADEN | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,026,318 | 10,402 |
| MINNOWS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 35 | 3 |
| MOJARRA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 534 | 27 |
| MOONEYE AND GOLDEYE | - | - | 6 | 1 | 67 | 6 | - | - | 73 | 7 |
| MULLET | 239 | 17 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 35,024 | 3,631 |
| MUTTONFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 22 | 3 |
| OCEAN PERCH (ROSEFISH) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 207,793 | 9,137 |
| PADDLEFISH OR SPOONBILL CAT | - | - | - | - | 962 | 123 | - | - | 1,008 | 129 |
| PERCH | 495 | 59 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 495 | 59 |
| PERMIT | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 11 | 1 |
| PIGFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 322 | 12 |
| PIKE OR PICKEREL | - | - | 124 | 13 | 55 | 7 | - | - | 196 | 23 |
| PILCHARD | 714,522 | 12,140 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 714,522 | 12,140 |
| PINFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 460 | 4 |
| POLLOCK | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 25,648 | 830 |
| POMPANO | 183 | 48 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,029 | 507 |
| PORKFISH | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | (1) |
| QUILLBACK | - | - | 2 | (1) | 944 | 125 | - | - | 946 | 125 |
| RATFISH | 521 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 521 | 5 |
| ROCK BASS | 203 | 29 | 25 | 3 | - | - | - | - | 228 | 32 |
| ROCKFISHES | 26,563 | 1,114 | - | - | - | - | (1) | (1) | 26,563 | 1,114 |
| SABLEFISH | 5,094 | 446 | - | - | - | - | 955 | 36 | 6,049 | 482 |
| SALMON: | | | | | | | | | | |
| ATLANTIC | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | (1) |
| CHINOOK OR KING | 24,361 | 6,061 | - | - | - | - | 12,198 | 2,268 | 36,559 | 8,329 |
| CHUM OR KETA | 12,687 | 1,988 | - | - | - | - | 61,924 | 3,932 | 74,611 | 5,920 |
| PINK | 45 | 6 | - | - | - | - | 85,728 | 6,767 | 85,773 | 6,773 |

SEE FOOTNOTES AT END OF TABLE.

(CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE)

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY REGION, 1950 - Continued

(EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

| SPECIES | PACIFIC | | LAKES | | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | | ALASKA | | TOTAL | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FISH - CONTINUED. | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE |
| SALMON- CONTINUED. | | | | | | | | | | |
| RED OR SOCKEYE . | 8,879 | 2,292 | - | - | - | - | 82,597 | 6,985 | 91,476 | 9,277 |
| SILVER OR COHO . | 17,753 | 4,466 | - | - | - | - | 22,472 | 2,685 | 40,225 | 7,151 |
| TOTAL SALMON. . | 63,725 | 14,813 | - | - | - | - | 264,919 | 22,637 | 328,645 | 37,450 |
| SAND PERCH . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 27 | 1 |
| SAUGER . . . . . | - | - | 597 | 107 | - | - | - | - | 597 | 107 |
| SAWFISH. . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 21 | 1 |
| SCULPIN. . . . . | 139 | 24 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 139 | 24 |
| SCUP OR PORGY. . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 35,528 | 2,435 |
| SEA BASS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| BLACK (ATLANTIC) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12,974 | 1,496 |
| BLACK (PACIFIC). | 151 | 24 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 151 | 24 |
| WHITE. . . . . | 1,531 | 322 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,531 | 322 |
| SEA CATFISH. . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 789 | 36 |
| SEA ROBIN. . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 230 | 4 |
| SEA TROUT OR WEAKFISH: | | | | | | | | | | |
| GRAY . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7,986 | 784 |
| SPOTTED. . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6,505 | 1,457 |
| WHITE. . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 470 | 41 |
| SHAD . . . . . | 2,893 | 191 | - | - | 18 | (1) | - | - | 11,134 | 1,788 |
| SHARKS . . . . . | 2/ 1,055 | 2/ 147 | - | - | - | - | 17 | 1 | 1,921 | 171 |
| SHEEPSHEAD: | | | | | | | | | | |
| FRESH-WATER . . | - | - | 2,327 | 107 | 6,625 | 675 | - | - | 9,926 | 860 |
| SALT-WATER . . . | 66 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 500 | 48 |
| SILVERSIDES. . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 299 | 18 |
| SKATES . . . . . | 685 | 8 | - | - | - | - | 2 | (1) | 847 | 13 |
| SMELT. . . . . | 2,913 | 245 | 2,534 | 234 | - | - | - | - | 5,598 | 521 |
| SNAPPER: | | | | | | | | | | |
| MANGROVE . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 372 | 47 |
| MUTTON . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 55 | 8 |
| RED . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7,152 | 1,724 |
| YELLOWTAIL . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 346 | 68 |
| SNOOK OR SERGEANTFISH. . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 574 | 69 |
| SPANISH MACKEREL . | 4 | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6,335 | 590 |
| SPOT . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 10,472 | 660 |
| SQUAWFISH. . . . . | 2 | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | (1) |
| STEELHEAD TROUT. . | 1,055 | 171 | - | - | - | - | 14 | 2 | 1,069 | 173 |
| STRIPED BASS . . . | 36 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7,731 | 1,369 |
| STURGEON: | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMMON . . . . . | 401 | 70 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 494 | 91 |
| SHOVELNOSE . . . | - | - | 9 | 11 | 72 | 12 | - | - | 81 | 23 |
| SUCKERS. . . . . | - | - | 3,105 | 149 | 210 | 17 | - | - | 3,387 | 171 |
| SUNFISH. . . . . | - | - | 4 | (1) | 63 | 6 | - | - | 86 | 7 |
| SWELLFISH. . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,632 | 76 |
| SWORDFISH. . . . . | 26 | 12 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 937 | 349 |
| TAUTOG . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 192 | 10 |
| TENPOUNDER . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 494 | 15 |
| TILEFISH . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2,401 | 158 |
| TRIGGERFISH. . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 16 | 2 |
| TRIPLETAIL . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 37 | 3 |
| TULLIBEE . . . . . | - | - | 790 | 52 | - | - | - | - | 790 | 52 |
| TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES: | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALBACORE . . . . | 72,414 | 13,835 | - | - | - | - | 39 | 4 | 72,453 | 13,839 |
| BLUEFIN. . . . . | 2,762 | 426 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4,029 | 538 |
| BONITO . . . . . | 695 | 68 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 819 | 77 |
| LITTLE . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 296 | 11 |
| SKIPJACK . . . . | 126,786 | 18,131 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 126,786 | 18,131 |
| YELLOWFIN. . . . | 187,890 | 28,823 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 187,890 | 28,823 |
| TOTAL TUNA AND TUNALIKE FISHES | 390,547 | 61,283 | - | - | - | - | 39 | 4 | 392,273 | 61,419 |
| WARSAW . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 185 | 16 |
| WHITEBAIT. . . . . | 208 | 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 239 | 24 |
| WHITE BASS . . . . | - | - | 1,142 | 168 | 40 | 4 | - | - | 1,182 | 172 |
| WHITEFISH: | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMMON . . . . . | - | - | 5,204 | 2,013 | 66 | 12 | - | - | 5,270 | 2,025 |
| MENOMINEE . . . | - | - | 161 | 30 | - | - | - | - | 161 | 30 |
| OCEAN. . . . . | 21 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 21 | 2 |
| WHITE PERCH. . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2,600 | 219 |
| WHITING . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 67,332 | 1,447 |
| WOLFFISH . . . . . | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2,421 | 137 |
| YELLOW PERCH . . . | - | - | 4,463 | 786 | 139 | 30 | - | - | 4,851 | 846 |

SEE FOOTNOTES AT END OF TABLE.

(CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE)

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY REGION, 1950 - Continued

(EXPRESSED IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS AND THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

| SPECIES | PACIFIC | | LAKES | | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | | ALASKA | | TOTAL | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FISH-CONTINUED | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE | QUANTITY | VALUE |
| YELLOW PIKE | - | - | 7,472 | 1,867 | 384 | 95 | - | - | 7,856 | 1,962 |
| YELLOWTAIL | 3,530 | 314 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3,530 | 314 |
| UNCLASSIFIED | 127 | 8 | - | - | 1 | (1) | 1,372 | 14 | 106,432 | 1,121 |
| TOTAL | 1,473,792 | 101,577 | 70,879 | 10,846 | 78,731 | 9,558 | 472,221 | 30,562 | 4,327,288 | 229,566 |
| SHELLFISH, ETC. | | | | | | | | | | |
| CRABS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| BLUE: | | | | | | | | | | |
| HARD | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 119,346 | 4,784 |
| SOFT AND PEELERS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6,727 | 1,097 |
| DUNGENESS | 23,810 | 2,833 | - | - | - | - | 4,120 | 278 | 27,930 | 3,111 |
| KING | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,519 | 91 | 1,519 | 91 |
| ROCK | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3,714 | 121 |
| STONE | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 42 | 27 |
| TOTAL CRABS | 23,810 | 2,833 | - | - | - | - | 5,639 | 369 | 159,278 | 9,231 |
| CRAWFISH, FRESH-WATER | 33 | 7 | 3 | (1) | 1,010 | 58 | - | - | 1,078 | 68 |
| HORSESHOE CRAB | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,350 | 5 |
| LOBSTERS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| NORTHERN | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 23,198 | 8,346 |
| SPINY | 933 | 296 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2,493 | 577 |
| SHRIMP | 974 | 83 | - | - | - | - | 2,158 | 173 | 191,474 | 43,452 |
| ABALONE | 791 | 369 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 791 | 369 |
| CLAMS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| COCKLES | - | - | - | - | - | - | 73 | 4 | 73 | 4 |
| HARD | 265 | 88 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 21,049 | 7,333 |
| OCEAN QUAHOG | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 221 | 19 |
| RAZOR | 263 | 169 | - | - | - | - | 2,202 | 264 | 2,543 | 451 |
| SOFT | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 9,390 | 2,159 |
| SURF | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7,742 | 764 |
| MIXED | 38 | 9 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 38 | 9 |
| TOTAL CLAMS | 566 | 266 | - | - | - | - | 2,275 | 268 | 41,056 | 10,739 |
| CONCHS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 416 | 54 |
| MUSSELS, SEA | (1) | (1) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 761 | 71 |
| MUSSEL SHELL | - | - | - | - | 23,062 | 380 | - | - | 23,062 | 380 |
| OCTOPUS | 97 | 6 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 97 | 6 |
| OYSTERS, MARKET: | | | | | | | | | | |
| EASTERN, PUBLIC | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 24,283 | 8,587 |
| EASTERN, PRIVATE | 16 | 16 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 43,909 | 18,805 |
| PACIFIC | 8,080 | 2,001 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 8,080 | 2,001 |
| WESTERN | 143 | 203 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 143 | 203 |
| TOTAL OYSTERS | 8,239 | 2,220 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 76,415 | 29,596 |
| PERIWINKLES AND COCKLES | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 1 |
| SCALLOPS: | | | | | | | | | | |
| BAY | 18 | 11 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,618 | 1,274 |
| SEA | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 19,980 | 9,204 |
| SQUID | 5,996 | 158 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 8,436 | 280 |
| SEA URCHINS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 34 | 1 |
| TERRAPIN, DIAMOND-BACK | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 289 | 61 |
| TURTLES: | | | | | | | | | | |
| GREEN | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 7 | 1 |
| LOGGERHEAD | - | - | - | - | 37 | 3 | - | - | 45 | 3 |
| SNAPPER | | - | - | - | 226 | 21 | - | - | 421 | 46 |
| SOFT-SHELL | - | - | - | - | 20 | 2 | - | - | 20 | 2 |
| BABY | - | - | - | - | 2,474 | 22 | - | - | 2,474 | 22 |
| UNCLASSIFIED | - | - | - | - | 74 | 5 | - | - | 74 | 5 |
| TOTAL TURTLES | - | - | - | - | 2,831 | 53 | - | - | 3,041 | 79 |
| FROGS | - | - | - | - | 162 | 43 | - | - | 210 | 62 |
| IRISH MOSS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2,150 | 30 |
| SPONGES | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 22 | 131 |
| PEARLS AND SLUGS | - | - | - | - | - | 12 | - | - | - | 12 |
| BLOODWORMS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 311 | 242 |
| SANDWORMS | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 58 | 39 |
| TOTAL | 41,457 | 6,249 | 3 | (1) | 27,065 | 546 | 10,072 | 810 | 557,621 | 114,310 |
| GRAND TOTAL | 1,515,249 | 107,826 | 70,882 | 10,846 | 105,796 | 10,104 | 482,293 | 31,372 | 4,884,909 | 343,876 |

1/ LESS THAN 500 POUNDS OR 500 DOLLARS.
2/ THE CATCH OF GRAYFISH IN CALIFORNIA IS INCLUDED WITH SHARKS.

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY STATES, 1950

| STATES | MARINE WATERS AND COASTAL RIVERS | | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| ALABAMA | 10,988,400 | $2,122,356 | 7,885,500 | $505,067 |
| ARKANSAS | - | - | 13,157,200 | 1,610,060 |
| CALIFORNIA | 1,338,298,900 | 81,605,112 | - | - |
| CONNECTICUT | 20,226,300 | 2,113,551 | - | - |
| DELAWARE | 160,721,200 | 3,140,727 | - | - |
| FLORIDA | 118,478,300 | 15,704,050 | - | - |
| GEORGIA | 17,350,800 | 3,584,389 | - | - |
| ILLINOIS | - | - | 9,064,500 | 688,222 |
| IOWA | - | - | 1,979,600 | 181,406 |
| KENTUCKY | - | - | 2,134,000 | 346,892 |
| LOUISIANA | 316,250,100 | 23,644,540 | 16,593,600 | 1,852,962 |
| MAINE | 356,265,700 | 14,688,742 | - | - |
| MARYLAND | 67,092,200 | 8,888,241 | - | - |
| MASSACHUSETTS | 591,187,800 | 40,767,465 | - | - |
| MINNESOTA | - | - | 13,009,900 | 1,371,542 |
| MISSISSIPPI | 84,138,500 | 3,371,199 | 7,676,500 | 1,082,318 |
| MISSOURI | - | - | 685,000 | 72,851 |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE | 645,100 | 218,841 | - | - |
| NEW JERSEY | 188,623,400 | 10,200,569 | - | - |
| NEW YORK | 142,340,800 | 15,502,073 | - | - |
| NORTH CAROLINA | 172,338,600 | 6,800,155 | - | - |
| OKLAHOMA | - | - | 1,166,700 | 193,962 |
| OREGON | 58,255,800 | 7,150,952 | - | - |
| RHODE ISLAND | 38,264,600 | 2,787,891 | - | - |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | 14,726,500 | 2,809,828 | - | - |
| SOUTH DAKOTA | - | - | 2,817,200 | 112,418 |
| TENNESSEE | - | - | 20,528,600 | 1,428,300 |
| TEXAS | 97,251,300 | 11,265,207 | - | - |
| VIRGINIA | 313,799,400 | 16,118,602 | - | - |
| WASHINGTON | 118,694,700 | 19,070,491 | - | - |
| WISCONSIN | - | - | 9,097,500 | 658,129 |
| ALASKA | 482,292,622 | 31,371,626 | - | - |
| TOTAL | 4,708,231,022 | 322,926,607 | 105,795,800 | 10,104,129 |

| STATES | GREAT LAKES AND INTERNATIONAL LAKES | | TOTAL | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| ALABAMA | - | - | 18,873,900 | $2,627,423 |
| ARKANSAS | - | - | 13,157,200 | 1,610,060 |
| CALIFORNIA | - | - | 1,338,298,900 | 81,605,112 |
| CONNECTICUT | - | - | 20,226,300 | 2,113,551 |
| DELAWARE | - | - | 160,721,200 | 3,140,727 |
| FLORIDA | - | - | 118,478,300 | 15,704,050 |
| GEORGIA | - | - | 17,350,800 | 3,584,389 |
| ILLINOIS | 1,576,300 | $256,814 | 10,640,800 | 945,036 |
| INDIANA | 33,800 | 1,964 | 33,800 | 1,964 |
| IOWA | - | - | 1,979,600 | 181,406 |
| KENTUCKY | - | - | 2,134,000 | 346,892 |
| LOUISIANA | - | - | 332,843,700 | 25,497,502 |
| MAINE | - | - | 356,265,700 | 14,688,742 |
| MARYLAND | - | - | 67,092,200 | 8,888,241 |
| MASSACHUSETTS | - | - | 591,187,800 | 40,767,465 |
| MICHIGAN | 23,152,500 | 3,497,233 | 23,152,500 | 3,497,233 |
| MINNESOTA | 4,686,100 | 378,782 | 17,696,000 | 1,750,324 |
| MISSISSIPPI | - | - | 91,815,000 | 4,453,517 |
| MISSOURI | - | - | 685,000 | 72,851 |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE | - | - | 645,100 | 218,841 |
| NEW JERSEY | - | - | 188,623,400 | 10,200,569 |
| NEW YORK | 573,700 | 123,041 | 142,914,500 | 15,625,114 |
| NORTH CAROLINA | - | - | 172,338,600 | 6,800,155 |
| OHIO | 20,224,800 | 3,793,498 | 20,224,800 | 3,793,498 |
| OKLAHOMA | - | - | 1,166,700 | 193,962 |
| OREGON | - | - | 58,255,800 | 7,150,952 |
| PENNSYLVANIA | 2,235,900 | 596,669 | 2,235,900 | 596,669 |
| RHODE ISLAND | - | - | 38,264,600 | 2,787,891 |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | - | - | 14,726,500 | 2,809,828 |
| SOUTH DAKOTA | - | - | 2,817,200 | 112,418 |
| TENNESSEE | - | - | 20,528,600 | 1,428,300 |
| TEXAS | - | - | 97,251,300 | 11,265,207 |
| VIRGINIA | - | - | 313,799,400 | 16,118,602 |
| WASHINGTON | - | - | 118,694,700 | 19,070,491 |
| WISCONSIN | 18,399,000 | 2,197,755 | 27,496,500 | 2,855,884 |
| ALASKA | - | - | 482,292,622 | 31,371,626 |
| TOTAL | 70,882,100 | 10,845,756 | 4,884,908,922 | 343,876,492 |

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY GEAR, 1950

| GEAR | NEW ENGLAND | | MIDDLE ATLANTIC | | CHESAPEAKE | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| PURSE SEINES | 41,368,200 | $985,331 | 365,393,700 | $3,733,378 | 160,776,000 | $1,414,827 |
| HAUL SEINES | 2,749,200 | 66,112 | 1,922,700 | 280,860 | 17,136,300 | 1,761,029 |
| STOP SEINES | 79,408,700 | 548,496 | - | - | - | - |
| GILL NETS | 10,101,500 | 526,362 | 2,314,000 | 385,471 | 9,344,800 | 1,237,973 |
| LINES | 26,141,800 | 1,550,182 | 5,270,900 | 583,909 | 27,187,900 | 863,953 |
| POUND NETS | 9,169,000 | 405,661 | 18,153,000 | 842,841 | 56,134,700 | 2,400,306 |
| FLOATING TRAPS | 7,386,500 | 355,417 | - | - | - | - |
| OTHER TRAPS 3/ | 38,000 | 5,489 | - | - | - | - |
| WEIRS | 82,984,900 | 581,803 | 1,475,500 | 18,525 | - | - |
| STOP NETS | 600 | 110 | 18,000 | 900 | 49,000 | 2,940 |
| FYKE OR DROP NETS | 21,800 | 1,549 | 342,600 | 37,087 | 3,409,900 | 311,718 |
| DIP AND LIFT NETS | 9,712,400 | 189,654 | 35,700 | 10,128 | 331,800 | 45,813 |
| BAG NETS | 58,200 | 17,203 | - | - | - | - |
| OTTER TRAWLS | 672,845,100 | 33,872,835 | 42,993,700 | 3,924,674 | 20,748,400 | 2,214,957 |
| BEAM TRAWLS | - | - | 100,000 | 50,000 | - | - |
| POTS | 26,179,500 | 8,142,286 | 3,161,600 | 478,208 | 41,786,500 | 1,561,624 |
| HARPOONS | 1,112,000 | 343,838 | 23,900 | 11,775 | - | - |
| SPEARS | - | - | 27,000 | 5,300 | - | - |
| SCRAPES | - | - | - | - | 3,918,400 | 573,578 |
| DREDGES | 20,557 300 | 9,055,290 | 37,185,200 | 13,678,530 | 23,678,900 | 6,403,349 |
| TONGS | 2,101,500 | 643,042 | 10,610,300 | 3,851,840 | 14,871,400 | 5,625,892 |
| RAKES | 4,075,100 | 731,138 | 1,893,100 | 678,429 | 688,400 | 335,620 |
| FORKS | 360,000 | 127,097 | - | - | - | - |
| HOES | 10,215,000 | 2,426,560 | 450,000 | 157,500 | - | - |
| BY HAND | 3,200 | 1,035 | 314,500 | 114,014 | 829,200 | 253,264 |
| TOTAL | 1,006,589,500 | 60,576,490 | 491,685,400 | 28,843,369 | 380,891,600 | 25,006,843 |

| GEAR | SOUTH ATLANTIC | | GULF | | PACIFIC | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| PURSE SEINES | 144,046,800 | $1,451,256 | 326,030,100 | $3,633,244 | 1/958,256,100 | 1/$28,182,438 |
| HAUL SEINES | 18,529,900 | 1,254,724 | 12,507,600 | 1,278,291 | 1,753,900 | 239,337 |
| GILL NETS | 17,345,600 | 2,108,102 | 17,288,800 | 1,918,289 | 2/31,146,600 | 2/5,785,808 |
| TRAMMEL NETS | 116,600 | 22,810 | 7,705,400 | 1,005,612 | (2) | (2) |
| LINES | 14,319,200 | 954,547 | 38,598,600 | 4,596,240 | 379,733,000 | 61,811,636 |
| POUND NETS | 8,958,800 | 650,637 | - | - | 255,600 | 51,062 |
| OTHER TRAPS 3/ | 931,500 | 167,670 | 187,500 | 86,143 | 24,508,600 | 3,104,016 |
| WEIRS | - | - | - | - | 276,000 | 13,801 |
| FYKE OR DROP NETS | 290,000 | 28,525 | 1,257,900 | 124,317 | 352,500 | 60,781 |
| DIP AND LIFT NETS | 23,700 | 10,789 | 491,900 | 76,052 | 3,040,700 | 501,737 |
| CAST NETS | 63,900 | 7,133 | 60,900 | 5,070 | - | - |
| BAG NETS | - | - | - | - | 205,500 | 13,216 |
| REEF NETS | - | - | - | - | 2,735,300 | 647,527 |
| OTTER TRAWLS | 43,934,100 | 10,533,457 | 152,810,800 | 33,217,161 | 88,724,000 | 4,148,617 |
| BEAM TRAWLS | - | - | - | - | 745,600 | 63,873 |
| CHANNEL NETS | 417,700 | 104,425 | - | - | - | - |
| POTS | 7,747,900 | 442,714 | 1,116,500 | 174,361 | - | - |
| HARPOONS | - | - | - | - | 309,200 | 13,684 |
| SPEARS | 210,300 | 29,690 | 88,400 | 20,911 | - | - |
| DREDGES | 1,710,800 | 570,713 | 4,976,200 | 1,451,600 | 4/8,239,500 | 4/2,220,780 |
| TONGS | 267,100 | 103,500 | 7,424,800 | 2,614,079 | (4) | (4) |
| RAKES | 213,100 | 65,630 | - | - | (4) | (4) |
| GRABS | 1,136,400 | 279,387 | 7,400 | 3,381 | - | - |
| SHOVELS | - | - | - | - | 566,200 | 266,503 |
| BRAIL OR SCOOP NETS | - | - | - | - | 13,610,100 | 332,495 |
| HOOKS | - | - | 12,900 | 74,820 | - | - |
| DIVING OUTFITS, ABALONE AND SPONGES | - | - | 9,100 | 55,680 | 791,000 | 369,244 |
| BY HAND | 616,000 | 158,070 | 66,200 | 22,694 | (4) | (4) |
| TOTAL | 260,881,400 | 18,943,779 | 570,641,100 | 50,357,945 | 1,515,249,400 | 107,826,555 |

| GEAR | LAKES | | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| HAUL SEINES | 4,664,500 | $350,009 | 27,121,300 | $2,088,196 |
| GILL NETS | 35,179,300 | 5,502,294 | 8,853,500 | 1,059,977 |
| TRAMMEL NETS | - | - | 4,532,000 | 571,758 |
| LINES | 397,100 | 139,910 | 10,437,200 | 2,319,451 |
| POUND NETS | 7,809,400 | 1,004,450 | 356,700 | 36,910 |
| TRAP NETS | 21,492,900 | 3,705,079 | - | - |
| OTHER TRAPS 3/ | - | - | 2,096,900 | 177,555 |
| FYKE OR DROP NETS | 1,338,100 | 143,960 | 26,669,300 | 3,389,652 |
| DIP AND LIFT NETS | 800 | 54 | 2,483,700 | 24,355 |
| SPEARS | - | - | 21,000 | 1,050 |
| CROWFOOT BARS | - | - | 22,449,100 | 379,806 |

SEE FOOTNOTES AT END OF TABLE.

(CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE)

## UNITED STATES AND ALASKA: CATCH BY GEAR, 1950 - Continued

| GEAR | LAKES | | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| TONGS | - | - | 156,600 | $3,238 |
| RAKES | - | - | 90,000 | 1,880 |
| GRABS | - | - | 135,200 | 33,804 |
| DIVING OUTFITS, ABALONE AND SPONGES | - | - | 185,900 | 3,862 |
| BY HAND | - | - | 207,400 | 12,635 |
| TOTAL | 70,882,100 | $10,845,756 | 105,795,800 | 10,104,129 |

| GEAR | ALASKA | | TOTAL | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | POUNDS | VALUE | POUNDS | VALUE |
| PURSE SEINES | 263,730,084 | $9,410,922 | 2,259,600,984 | $48,811,396 |
| HAUL SEINES | - | - | 86,385,400 | 7,318,558 |
| STOP SEINES | - | - | 79,408,700 | 548,496 |
| GILL NETS | 80,305,873 | 7,267,254 | 211,879,973 | 25,791,530 |
| TRAMMEL NETS | - | - | 12,354,000 | 1,600,180 |
| LINES | 56,349,460 | 8,190,808 | 558,435,160 | 81,010,636 |
| POUND NETS | 70,463,354 | 5,679,126 | 171,300,554 | 11,070,993 |
| TRAP NETS | - | - | 21,492,900 | 3,705,079 |
| FLOATING TRAPS | - | - | 7,386,500 | 355,417 |
| OTHER TRAPS 3/ | - | - | 27,762,600 | 3,540,873 |
| WEIRS | - | - | 84,736,400 | 614,129 |
| STOP NETS | - | - | 67,600 | 3,950 |
| FYKE OR DROP NETS | - | - | 33,682,100 | 4,097,589 |
| DIP AND LIFT NET | - | - | 16,120,700 | 858,582 |
| CAST NETS | - | - | 124,800 | 12,203 |
| BAG NETS | - | - | 263,700 | 30,419 |
| REEF NETS | - | - | 2,735,300 | 647,527 |
| OTTER TRAWLS | 2,891,249 | 104,875 | 1,024,947,349 | 88,016,576 |
| BEAM TRAWLS | 2,158,260 | 172,661 | 3,003,860 | 286,534 |
| CHANNEL NETS | - | - | 417,700 | 104,425 |
| POTS | 4,119,425 | 277,382 | 84,111,425 | 11,076,575 |
| HARPOONS | - | - | 1,445,100 | 369,297 |
| SPEARS | - | - | 346,700 | 56,951 |
| SCRAPES | - | - | 3,918,400 | 573,578 |
| DREDGES | - | - | 96,347,900 | 33,380,262 |
| CROWFOOT BARS | - | - | 22,449,100 | 379,806 |
| TONGS | - | - | 35,431,700 | 12,841,591 |
| RAKES | - | - | 6,959,700 | 1,812,697 |
| FORKS | - | - | 360,000 | 127,097 |
| HOES | - | - | 10,665,000 | 2,584,060 |
| GRABS | - | - | 1,281,000 | 316,572 |
| SHOVELS | 2,274,917 | 268,598 | 2,841,117 | 535,101 |
| BRAIL OR SCOOP NETS | - | - | 13,610,100 | 332,495 |
| HOOKS | - | - | 12,900 | 74,820 |
| DIVING OUTFITS, ABALONE AND SPONGES | - | - | 986,000 | 428,786 |
| BY HAND | - | - | 2,036,500 | 561,712 |
| TOTAL | 482,292,622 | 31,371,626 | 4,884,908,922 | 343,876,492 |

1/ THE CATCH OF RING AND LAMPARA NETS IN CALIFORNIA HAS BEEN INCLUDED WITH PURSE SEINES.
2/ THE CALIFORNIA CATCH BY TRAMMEL NETS HAS BEEN INCLUDED WITH GILL NETS.
3/ INCLUDES CATCH BY BOX, BRUSH, CRAB, CRAWFISH AND SPINY LOBSTER TRAPS.
4/ THE CATCH BY TONGS, RAKES, AND BY HAND HAS BEEN INCLUDED WITH DREDGES.
NOTE:--DATA ARE NOT AVAILABLE ON THE QUANTITY AND VALUE OF THE CATCH BY TYPES OF GEAR IN ALASKA. HOWEVER THE TOTAL CATCH HAS BEEN ALLOCATED TO THE VARIOUS GEAR THROUGH ESTIMATES. THE CATCH OF ALL TRAPS IN ALASKA HAS BEEN CREDITED TO POUND NETS.

INT.-DUP. SEC., WASH., D.C. 36219